

BOOK BRIEFS

God's Super Salesman, by Bob Harrington. Nashville: Broadman Press, 1970. 175 pages. \$.95.

This is a book of views on religion, sin, and “unorthodox” evangelism, written by the noted “Chaplain of Bourbon Street.” It contains numerous pictures of the author. His fervent style of ministry is reflected in the text.

All the Trades and Occupations of the Bible, by Herbert Lockyer. Grand Rapids: Zondervan, 1969. 327 pages. \$4.95.

This reference book is really a record of how people of ancient times lived and labored. The author not only gives carefully documented facts and supplies word origins but he takes an in-depth look at every occupation mentioned in Scripture. It is a worthwhile book for preachers and teachers.

The Urban Crisis, by David McKenna (editor). Grand Rapids: Zondervan, 1969. 146 pages. \$3.95.

The editor, President of Seattle Pacific College (Washington) and a graduate of Asbury Theological Seminary, presents a symposium on pressing issues resulting from the present urban crisis.

The book is written from two viewpoints. First, national leaders in the fields of sociology, politics, and education identify the issues. They analyze the live options that represent differing viewpoints of the issue. Secondly, evangelical Christian scholars who have special interest in urban problems relate the issues and options to a Christian perspective as a base for responsible social action.

New Ways of Teaching the Old Story, by R. E. Bingham. Nashville: Broadman Press, 1970. 125 pages. \$3.50.

In view of the rapid changes in communication and the impact of mass media, the church is searching for new techniques in teaching the Old Story. This book by a leader in Christian education explores some of

these: team teaching, television, programmed learning, learning centers, and data processing.

Spiritual Manpower, by J. Oswald Sanders. Chicago: Moody Press, 1970. 219 pages. 95¢.

A paperback edition of seventeen Biblical biographies, from Abraham to Paul, this little book will furnish inspiration and resources for one of the most rewarding types of preaching.

The Whole Armour of God, by J. H. Jowett. Grand Rapids: Baker, 1969. 265 pages. \$2.95.

This paperback reprint of fifteen sermons by a pulpit master of other years now appears in Baker's *Preaching Helps Series*. The messages, on the classic passage from Ephesians 6, are typical of Jowett at his best. He speaks in the persuasive language of a man deeply rooted in the Biblical faith, and he charms us with "the witchery of speech."

James, A Primer for Christian Living, by Earl Kelly. Nutley, N. J.: The Craig Press. 1969. 282 pages. \$3.95.

In these thirty-three sermons on James, the author in his exegesis and exposition has drawn on a wealth of supporting materials. He succeeds in making this epistle "uncannily relevant" to the contemporary situation.

The Book of Joel, by M. Di Gangi. Grand Rapids: Baker, 1970. 75 pages. \$1.95.

This is another in the *Shield Bible Study Series*, paper bound manuals which serve as guides to the study of the Bible. Previous publications include manuals on Amos, Micah, Jeremiah and Colossians. It is profitable for group study in the local church.

The Light on the Lord's Face, by J. Winston Pearce. Nashville: Broadman Press, 1970. 128 pages.

This book is rich in inspiration. If we would know what God is like we shall discover it "in the light of the Lord's face"—in the life, teachings, death, and resurrection of Christ.